

Office of Latino Affairs Report

June 2016 to July 2016

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CIVIC ENGAGEMENT

- Immigrant Heritage Month Project
- Latino LGBT 101 Workshop
- Latino Directors Leadership Network
- Bienvenido a Iowa/Welcome to Iowa Brochure
- DHR Planning Committee
- University of Iowa Hospitals & Clinics Outreach

LANGUAGE ACCESS

- Interpretation and Translation Services Information on Latino Affairs Website
- Spanish Support Group for Latino LGBT Individuals

COMMUNITY CONNECTION

- Bi-Monthly Office of Latino Affairs Announcements
- Interviews on La Reina Radio Station
- Monthly article on La Reina Magazine
- Office of Latino Affairs Website Updates and maintenance:
- Social Media Presence-Manage Facebook page
- New promotional materials are being developed
- GovDelivery went live in June
- Monthly Newsletter

YOUTH LEADERSHIP

- Y.E.P. Youth Empowerment Program
- Development of DHR Youth Program
- Des Moines Public Schools Partnership
- DMC (Disproportionate Minority Contact) Committee
- Iowa Youth Congress
- State of Iowa Youth Advisory Council

OUTREACH, PRESENTATIONS & CONTACT WITH COMMUNITY AGENCIES/INDIVIDUALS

- LUNA
- LATINOS UNIDOS
- Iowa Department of Education
- IOWA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY
- DES MOINES PLAYHOUSE-LATINO OUTREACH
- CASSANDRA HALLS WITH LATINO CENTER PLANNING
- University of Iowa/commission coordination
- POLK COUNTY CRISIS AND ADVOCACY SERVICES
- IOWA DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES
- IOWA COALITION AGAINST DOMESTIC VIOLENCE
- HISPANIC EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES
- HEARTLAND AEA
- RUTH ANN GAINES, LEGISLATOR
- GOODWILL INDUSTRIES
- ONE IOWA
- ACLU of Iowa
- Monsoon United Asian Women of Iowa

DEPARTMENT MEETINGS/TRAININGS/EVENTS

- Biweekly Diversity and Inclusion Planning Meetings
- Executive Officers Team Meetings
- CAS Meetings
- Youth Engagement Committee meeting
- Civic Engagement Committee Meeting
- Drupal Trainings
- GovDelivery Trainings
- Communications Committee Meetings

COMMITTEES/TASK FORCES

- HIV Comprehensive Planning Committee
- Iowa Literacy Council
- Latino Services Providers Coalition
- Latino Development Institute
- Open and Affirming Providers of Iowa
- LUNA
- ICASH Advisory Board
- Mosaic Diversity Conference Planning Committee
- Des Moines Area Community College
- Advisory Board
- DMC Committee
- Iowa Supreme Court's Grievance Commission
- Open and Affirming Providers of Iowa
- Aila/CBO/USCIS Committee
- Polk County Extension Council Nominating Committee